

## Defective Ballot Envelope

### Voter Checked Off Checklist

#### **DO NOT COUNT**

<b>TALLY</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>REASON FOR DEFECTIVE BALLOT</b>
		<b>The voter is not legally qualified to vote</b>
		<b>The certificate is not signed</b>
		<b>The voted ballot was not in the certificate envelope</b>
		<b>The Primary voter failed to return the unvoted Primary ballots</b>
		<b>Voter identified themselves on the ballot</b>
		<b>TOTAL DEFECTIVE BALLOTS</b> <b>(Report this number on Line 5 of Part A of your ORV)</b>

<b>TALLY</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>REASON FOR DEFECTIVE BALLOT</b>
		The voter has already voted*
		The identity of the voter cannot be determined**

(\*Do not include in # reported on line 5 of Part A of your ORV – a ballot was cast for these voters and is included in the ballot count)

(\*\*Do not include in # reported on line 5 of Part A of your ORV – no voter was checked off the checklist b/c identity unknown)

#### **Each Defective ballot or unopened certificate envelope must:**

- ✓ Have an attached note from the presiding officer indicating the reason the ballot was determined defective
- ✓ Be placed with the other defective ballots in this envelope
- ✓ Be returned in this envelope to the town clerk and **placed in the ballot bag**

**\*\*These ballots should not be counted. Subtract the total number of Defective ballots, as indicated above, from the number of voters checked off your checklist, and that number should match the total number of ballots counted.**